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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

In response to the Final Official Action issued on May 28, 2004, applicants have filed a Request for Continued Examination which is enclosed herewith. As the period for response expired on August 28, 2004, applicants hereby petition for a three month extension of time. The Commissioner is authorized to charge the extension fee in the amount of \$ 980.00 and any deficiency in fees or any additional fees required to maintain the pendency of this application to Deposit Account 18-2056.

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